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Serial No. 08/398,629	) Raychem Corporation ) 300 Constitution Drive						
Filed: March 3, 1995	) Menlo Park, CA 94025						
For: DEVICE OR APPARATUS FOR MANIPULATING MATTER							
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT  OF:							

Sir:

**Amendments** 

In the Claims:

Washington, D.C. 20231

Please add new claims 70-75.

--70\ A surgical pouch comprising:

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a bag for use with a cannula assembly having an open end for access into the interior of the bag; and

means for automatically unfurling the bag when furled around a cannula wherein the means for automatically unfurling the bag comprises a shape memory effect metal insert mounted in the surgical bag.

71. The surgical pouch of claim 70 wherein the shape memory effect metal comprises Nithol.

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